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PATENT APPLICATION



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
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		:	Group Art Unit: 2641
Application No.: 10/086,740)	_
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Filed: March 4, 2002)	
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For:	SPEECH RECOGNITION)	
	SYSTEM AND METHOD,	:	
	AND INFORMATION)	
	PROCESSING APPARATUS	:	
	AND METHOD USED IN)	
	THAT SYSTEM	:	June 21, 2002

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in accordance with the practice under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98, the Examiner's attention is directed to the documents listed on the enclosed Form PTO-1449. Copies of the listed documents are also enclosed.

The Examiner's attention is also directed to the following U.S. Application:

APPLICATION NO.	FILING DATE	GROUP ART UNIT
09/739,878	December 20, 2000	2641

A copy of the cited Application is enclosed.

CONCLUSION

It is respectfully requested that the above information be considered by the Examiner and that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449 be returned indicating that such information has been considered.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

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	,	U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS		,	
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6,266,636	7/24/01	KOSAKA, ET AL.	704	244	
6,236,962	5/22/01	KOSAKA, ET AL.	704	234	
5,220,629	6/15/93	KOSAKA, ET AL.	381	52	
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5,621,849	4/15/97	SAKURAI, ET AL.	395	2.5	
5,369,728	11/29/94	KOSAKA, ET AL.	395	2.63	
5,956,679	9/21/99	KOMORI, ET AL.	704	256	
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6,236,964	5/22/01	TAMURA, ET AL.	704	254	
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